

Media Advisory

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Celebrating 90th birthday and launch of Veteran T.T Cholo Foundation

The Premier of Limpopo, Mr Chupu Stanley Mathabatha will honour Veteran Tlou Theophilus Cholo on his 90th birthday. The board of T.T Cholo Foundation will also launch the foundation at Makobe village on the same day, 15th December 2016. Mr Tlou Theophilus Cholo is identified to be the veteran whose life should be celebrated in 2016.

Veteran Tlou Theophilus Cholo was born in 1926 at Ga-Matlala, Polokwane West in Limpopo Province. He participated in liberation struggle and as such he is recognised as one of the military veterans. He was a member of the Provincial Legislature in Limpopo Province as from 1994 until 2014. He is currently living in Soshanguve, Gauteng Province. His fierce nature and a strong desire to have a free and democratic South Africa pushed Mr Cholo to work hard and seek to reach goals that would benefit the whole nation.

As part of his community development initiatives, he facilitated the establishment of a library at his home village of Matlala, Makobe. A foundation was launched in 2015 in his name in Soshanguve, Gauteng. The vision of the foundation is to operate beyond Gauteng. In Mogalakwena Municipality, his home Municipality, a stadium is named after Veteran T.T Cholo and Prof. Tlou Setumo wrote a book about his life.

Below are the details of the celebration and launch of Veteran T.T Cholo Foundation:

Date: 15 December 2016

Time: 10H00

Venue: Bavaria Ga Mathapo, Mogalakwena Municipality

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